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1. Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
2. Form PTO-1449 (1 page);
3. Six (6) References;
4. Return postcard.

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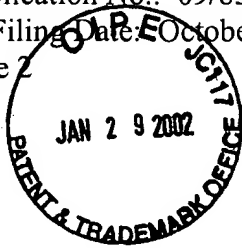
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(2)(i), enclosed are references relating to the above-identified application. For the convenience of the Examiner, these references are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and copies are enclosed herewith.

It is respectfully requested that these references be made of written record in this application.

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